



## Philip Joseph Balcom

October 8, 2005

Philip Joseph Balcom, age 78, of Lake Court, died Saturday, October 8, 2005 at Grand Strand Regional Medical Center. Mr. Balcom was born June 3, 1927 in Providence, RI the son of the late Raymond and Rose Balcom. He was a member of St. Michael Catholic Church in Garden City Beach, SC, a WWII US Navy veteran serving four years, a member of the VFW and the American Legion both in Murrells Inlet, SC, and had retired from Tuperware International as President in 1984 with 26 years of loyal service. Survivors include his son, Gary P. Balcom of Hemmingway, SC; sister, June Jeantte of TX; grandchildren, Shana R. Balcom of Surfside Beach, SC, G. Philip Balcom II of Johnsonville, SC, Cassie A. Balcom of Johnsonville, SC; great grandson, Ethan F. Balcom; companion, Barbara M. Kiefer of Surfside Beach, SC; and several nieces and nephews. The family will receive friends from 6:00 to 8:00 PM Monday, October 11, 2005 at Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel. The family will hold a gathering of friends from 6:00 to 8:00 PM Thursday, October 13, 2005 at Brown Funeral Home in Oakland, RI. Private inurnment will follow in St. Patrick's Cemetery, Pascoag, RI. Memorials may be made to St. Michael Catholic School, PO Box 2659, Murrells Inlet, SC 29576.

# Tribute Wall



“ My deepest sympathy is with your family. During these times it is especially important to draw close to God in prayer, for the Bible promises that "he himself will sustain you" - Psalm 55:22. It is always hard when we lose a loved one because we have a built-in desire to live and enjoy life with our family and friends. That is why death is not natural for us. However, at these times we need encouragement and hope so that we can cope with our loss. For that reason, we can be encouraged by reflecting on the promises that God has provided us through his word the Bible concerning the hope of seeing our dead loved ones again. I hope you can find comfort through these scriptures. John 11:11-44; John 5:21,28,29; Acts 24:15; and Revelation 21:3,4. My prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Elijah Salim##imported-end##

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November 30, 2005 at 12:00 AM



“ Gary, We were so sorry to hear of your dad's death. I know he enjoyed his retirement years at the beach. I appreciate the consideration and support he gave me when I worked for him. He was a tough but fair manager and knew the business. Sincerely, Larry and Diane##imported-begin##Larry Fox##imported-end##

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October 15, 2005 at 12:00 AM